

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number : 10/628,464 Confirmation No.: 4703
Applicant : Jon Elliot ADLER, *et al.*
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Title : IDENTIFICATION OF A NOVEL PUTATIVE HUMAN BITTER TASTE RECEPTOR, HT2R76
TC/Art Unit : 1646
Examiner: Zachary C. Howard

Docket No. : 67824.426001
Customer No. : 21967

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Sir:

In further Reply to the Final Office Action mailed July 18, 2007, and the Advisory Action mailed on October 22, 2007 Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following amendments and accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on **page 2** of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on **page 7** of this paper.